

## HAPPY NEW YEAR!!!

We hope you are all as excited and ready for the year ahead as we are at the setting! We can't wait to see what 2022 has in store as we welcome new families, explore interests, develop friendships and engage in purposeful and exciting activities in our enriching and nurturing environment.

# <u>COVID – 19</u>

The COVID guidelines are ever changing; thank you for working with us through the challenging times to maintain a safe environment for children, staff and families. We have decided to keep our routines and protocols in place for the time being. This means that;

- Parents drop off and collect from outside the building.
- Masks must be worn if you enter the building for any reason
- The breakfast club and afterschool children will still be in bubbles.
- Resources will be cleaned down nightly and between each session that we offer.
- All of our COVID risk assessments, full protocols and management plan can be viewed at the setting.

### Lesley Calvert(BEM)

As I'm sure you are all now aware, Lesley Calvert passed away on 10<sup>th</sup> November 2021 after a short, heroic battle with illness. She has been our incredible setting manager for over 20 years.

To pay tribute to her, we have set up a Go Fund Me page, to raise funds to put a memorial in place both at the setting and also for her family in Scotland.

If anyone wishes to donate money, please visit the Go Fund Me page.

<u>Fundraiser by Katie Hatfield : In memory of</u> <u>Lesley (gofundme.com)</u>



#### **Our very merry Christmas**

Here are some photos of our lovely Christmas; with a special visit from Santa, party games, Christmas crafts and our pre-school nativity.







### Setting Management Structure

Katie Hatfield is the General Manager at the setting, along with setting safeguarding lead and SENCO.

Danielle Jackson is Team Leader within the setting; leading the Baby and Toddler room, Inclusion Coordinator and assisting Katie in managing the setting

We are currently recruiting for an additional deputy manager to complete our leadership team.

Please speak with any of us if you have any queries, concerns or things you would just like to discuss. We are always available and here to support our families in any way we can.

Please, where possible, can parents use our online booking system; forms are accessible on the website and then email them across to Katie at <u>funfishers@aol.com</u>. Forms are also available within the setting to collect, fill out and return.

We would like to remind all parents that cancellations of any spaces must be done at least 7 days before the beginning of any half term or 7 days before the beginning of any holiday club. Once places are booked, after 7 days before the commencement of the term or holiday club, all places are to be paid for and they cannot be swapped. All places are non-refundable.









York Children's Trust, York Common Good Trust, and the Norman Collinson Charitable Trust



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